(c) what is the net annual profit of the Khadi Gramodyog;

(d) whether the annual net profit of the Udyog is being misused;

(e) if so, whether Government have inquired into the matter and any action has been taken so far; and

(f) if so, the details of the action taken and if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES AND AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES); SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM : (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. The KVIC has been directed not to go ahead with the formation of the proposed corporation pending approval from the Central Government. KVIC has informed that in the absence of the approval of the Government of India, the work of the Marketing Development Corporation has not yet started.

(c) The net profit made by Khadi Gramodyog Bhawan, New Delhi for the financial year 1991-92 was Rs. 49.37 lakhs.

(d) to (f) No, Sir. The profits earned by the Bhawan are capitalised every year which would go to augment their available working capital for achieving the targets fixed for the following year.

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466. SHRI SUSHILKUMAR SAMBHAJIRAO SHINDE :

SHRIMATI VEENA VERMA :

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Comptroller and Auditor General of India in his report for 1991-92 in respect of the financial management of various public sector undertakings, had pointed out that as many as 26 public sector urdertakings had locked Rs. 9,432/- crores of their funds in banks and their subsidiaries like merchant banks and mutual funds including foreign banks in various kinds of deposits including under portfolio Management schemes in sheer violation of the RBI rules;

(b) if so, what are the details of the personnel found responsible for the blatant violations of RBI rules; indicating the precise nature and extents of violation of RBI rules committed by each; and

(c) what action has been taken against each one of them ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT) WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY) SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI : (a) Yes, Sir. The Comptroller and Auditor General of India's Report No. 3 of 1993 contains a para on Investment of Surplus Funds by the 26 Public Sector Undertakings.

(b) and (c) The Public Sector Enterprises and administrative Ministries/Department concerned look into the specific objections mentioned in the C&AG's report and take suitable remedial measures.

Privatisation of Jagiroad Paper Mill

467. SHRI BHADRESHWAR GOHAIN : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have decided to privatise the Jagiroad Paper Mill, a unit of the H. P. C. and a MOU has been signed with the ITC by Government;

(b) what are the reasons therefor; and

(c) what is the percentage of equity Government propose to keep for itself and whether the interest of the employees would be ensured ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT) WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY) (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI) : (a) to (c) Hindustan Paper Corporation Limited has two mills in Assam. viz. Nagaon (Jagiroad) Paper Mill and Cachar Paper Mill. These mills are incurring losses since inception. The Government has, for some time, been examining various alternatives for making them viable, i.e. restructuring, feasibility of making them over to the private sector, etc. For this purpose the assistance of SBI Capital Markets Limited has been sought and a Committee of Experts has been constituted. The recommendations of the Committee are awaited and no final decision has been taken. Any decision on the future of the two mills will be taken, taking into account all relevant aspects including the interest of the employees.

Corruption in PSUs

468. SHRI MD. SALIM : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) what steps are taken on the complaints which are made in writing against the corruption of officials in a public sector undertakings;

(b) whether the organisation has to take up the action immediately after the receipt of the complaint, with the reasons therefor;

(c) in what manner the complainant would know whether the action on his complaint against officials has been taken by the authorities; and

(d) what action Government propose to take in the event authorities failed to take action on the written complaints despite having documentary proof in it?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT) WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY) (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI) : (a) to (d) Appropriate immediate steps are taken by the concerned disciplinary authority on complaints received by it in writing against corruption of officials in the central public sector undertakings. In respect of complaints against Board level executives the Central Government, which is the appointing and disciplinary authority, examines such complaints for necessary action. Wherever considered necessary, Government refers such complaints to the Central Vigilance Commission and/or the Central Bureau of Investigation for further enquiry/advice. In so far as complaints against below Board level executives are concerned, the Board of Directors are empowered under their Articles of Association to deal with matters relating to vigilance/discipline and take appropriate action as per the CDA Rules/Service Regulations applicable to the official concerned. Government does not monitor complaints in respect of below Board level functionaries as the Board of Directors are competent to take decisions in such matters. Normally Government does not correspond with the complainants. However, when complaints are received from a Member of Parliament or from an eminent person, receipt of the complaint is acknowledged. Failure to take action on such complaints can be dealt with in accordance with the conduct rules applicable to the official concerned.

रुग्ण लघु उद्योगों की समस्याओं का समाधान करने के लिए नायक समिति की सिफारिशें

469 : श्रीमती सुषमा स्वराज :
डा. जितेन्द्र कुमार जैन :

क्या प्रधान मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि नायक समिति की सिफारिशों के अनुसार राज्य स्तर पर अधिकारणों